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For: Device and Method for Forming an Elongated Dough Portion

AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO NON-FINAL OFFICE ACTION

Mail Stop: Amendment Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450

Dear Sir

The Non-Final Office Action dated May 12, 2009 has been carefully considered. In response thereto, please enter the following amendments and consider the following remarks.

DEPOSIT ACCOUNT AUTHORIZATION

It is not believed that extensions of time are required, beyond those that may otherwise be provided for in documents accompanying this paper. However, in the event that additional extensions of time are necessary to allow consideration of this paper, such extensions are hereby petitioned under 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a), and any fees required therefor are hereby authorized to be charged to our Deposit Account No. 20-0778.